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Hall Rentals - Call the Office

Mass Schedule:
 Sat. - 4:00pm
 Sun. - 10:00am
 Tues, Wed. & Thurs. - Mass at 7:30am

Reconciliation:
 Saturday 3:30pm - 4:00pm.

SACRAMENT of BAPTISM - Baptisms are celebrated during the 10:00 am Mass. Please call the Rectory to make arrangements.

MARRIAGES -Diocesan policy require at least a six month preparation process. Couples who are planning to marry should speak directly with the pastor before setting a date. No weddings are scheduled on Sundays.

HOSPITALIZED PARISHIONERS - Due to a change in the privacy law, Father cannot go to the hospital and ask for a list of parishioners for him to visit. As a patient, you must ask the hospital to notify the Rectory that you are requesting a visit. For our homebound parishioners, if you would like Father to visit, please call the Rectory and Father will be more than happy to come and visit you. Thank you!

Funeral Dinner Co-Chairs for October
 Renee Hollmeyer 237-8313
 Thalia Wilson 237-8595

ST. LAWRENCE CATHOLIC CHURCH

South Wilmington, IL



MASS INTENTIONS:

- 9/29/18 Sat. 4:00pm +Joseph Bacigalupo (Bill & Vivian Finn)
- 9/30/18 Sun. 10:00am +Kevin Stellano (Family)
- 10/1/18 Mon. No Mass
- 10/2/18 Tues. 7:30am +Cyril Finn (Ed Finn)
- 10/3/18 Wed. 7:30am +Frank & Alice Jirmasek (M/M John Wilson)
- 10/4/18 Thurs. 7:30am +Constantine Family
- 10/5/18 Fri. No Mass
- 10/6/18 Sat. 4:00pm Parishioners
- 10/7/18 Sun. 10:00am +Mike Monferdini (Jeff & Katy Wepprecht)

If you would like a Mass Intention said please contact the Rectory. Suggested donation is \$10.

REMEMBER in PRAYER our deceased relatives and friends, the ill of our parish and community, nursing home residents, the homeless, hungry and unemployed, those living alone and our own special intentions we hold deep in our hearts. Keep in prayer all men and women serving our country, the injured and those being held prisoners. Let us not forget all men and women who gave up their lives so we may live in freedom and in peace!

Liturgical Schedule	Lector	E. Minister	Servers
9/29 Sat. 4pm	T. Peterson	S. Myrick	T. Wilkey/C. Hampson
9/30 Sun. 10am	D. Wollgast	R. Hollmeyer	N. & O. Siano/M. Simms
10/6 Sat. 4pm	D. Wollgast	M. Noeth	M. Phillips/M. Simms
10/7 Sun. 10am	J. Naretto	R. Hollmeyer	L. Byers/T. Wilkey/L. Staab

Holy Father's Intention for the month of October:
General Intention: The Mission of Religious. That consecrated religious men and women may bestir themselves, and be present among the poor, the marginalized, and those who have no voice.



Weekly Income:	
Budget (Needed)	\$ 3200.00
Sunday Collection	\$ 2136.00
Children's Envelopes	\$ 7.00
Improvement Collection	\$ 109.00

Thank you for supporting our parish!


FROM AROUND THE PARISH

Welcome! We welcome all new individuals, couples and families to St. Lawrence Parish. If you haven't already done so, please register with the rectory office. Registration forms can be found on the bulletin board or on our website swkrcatholics.org Thank you!

Baptisms- Congratulations to the parents & families of Kaysen Michael Ryan Schneider and Michael Anthony Kavanaugh III who received the Sacrament of Baptism last weekend. May God always hold them in the Palm of His Hands!

The Rectory Office will be closed on Wednesday, Oct. 3rd. Lin will be at a meeting at the Diocese.

The **October schedule** is ready for Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers and Servers. Please look under the Ministry tab on our website www.swkrcatholics.org.

 St. Lawrence is helping Catholic Charities, Diocese of Joliet and the individuals and families they serve by collecting **NEW** underwear, undershirts, socks, and diapers for children and adults from low-income households. Collection will be held Oct. 20/21. All sizes are needed.

For more information on Undy Sunday or how you can help with a donation, please call Claudia Rodriguez at 815-724-1140 or email crodriguez@cc-doj.org.

If you would like to make a donation to this year's **Christ is our Hope** Magazine appeal, please use an envelope and put into the collection basket or to make a gift online, visit the website: dioceseofjoliet.org. Or simply write a check to *Christ is our Hope* Magazine Appeal and mail to: Diocese of Joliet-Development Office, 16555 Weber Road, Crest Hill, IL 60403.

No Religious Ed Class—On Sunday, October 7th. Please make sure to attend Mass this weekend even though there is no class.

Classes will resume on Sunday, October 14th. This is also the next Children's Mass. If your child is interested in becoming an altar server, training will be held after Mass on October 14th.

News & Upcoming Events



Workshop/Retreat - This program is for widowed men and women who treasure their spouse's memory, but need to find the path to a hope-filled life after their loss.

- Oct 6 & 7 - St. Ann's, Channahon
- Nov 10 & 11 - Nazareth Retreat Hse., Batavia
- Nov 17 & 18 - Our Lady of the Angels Retreat Hse., Lemont

For further information, call: 708-354-7211.

e-mail us at joyfulagain7211@gmail.com

website: www.joyfulagain.org (incls.video)

Register early, space is limited.

P.A.D.S. Public Action to Deliver Shelter in Morris provides overnight shelter for those in need. Runs October through April. Adult volunteers are required and needed. St. Lawrence serves the third Monday of each month at the Peace Lutheran Church, Morris. There are three shifts, 6pm-11pm, 10:45pm - 3am, and 2:45am-7:30am. Please call Tom Perkins at 815-237-8172 or cell 815-823-4902 if you are interested in helping. We need volunteers! Thank you!

Missions -Information Meeting for Mission to Bolivia on October 23 at 7:00 PM at the Blanchette Catholic Center. The Diocese of Joliet is planning its next medical/construction/outreach mission to Sucre, Bolivia. An Information Meeting will be held for those interested in being part of the Bolivia Mission Team. For more info call 815 221-6258.

Save the date -Saturday, October 13, 2018 Public Square Rosary Crusade at 12 Noon. Please join us in praying for our nation. Two local locations. Saint Margaret Mary Church, Main St., Herscher Fr. White Hall at Immaculate Conception, Braidwood

A Smile—There is more beauty in a smile...than anything I know...for smiles can make the heart feel happy...and drive away our woe...a smile can change our outlook and...give meaning to our life...and it can radiate real joy...to those who have known strife...a smile is like a blooming rose...that thrills us through and through.. ..and it can pave the way to romance...and a love that's true...a smile costs nothing...yet it is...priceless as the view of the harvest moon...for it can change a persons wintertime...into the month of June...and so I cherish all the smiles...that ever come my way...and with the help of God I will...keep smiling day by day.

"It is better to give than to lend, and it costs about the same." - Unknown